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MEDIA BUREAU ANNOUNCES COMMENT AND REPLY DEADLINES REGARDING OPERATION OF CONTINUED ANALOG RADIO SERVICES BY LPTV STATIONS

MB Docket No. 03-185

Comment Date: July 18, 2022 Reply Comment Date: August 1, 2022

On June 7, 2022, the Commission released a *Fifth Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM)* seeking comment in MB Docket No. 03-185 on the operation of analog radio services by digital low power television stations (LPTV) as ancillary or supplementary services.¹ The Commission set deadlines for filing comments and reply comments at 30 and 45 days, respectively, after publication of the *NPRM* in the Federal Register.²

The summary of the *NPRM* was published in the Federal Register on June 17, 2022.³ Accordingly, comments will be due on or before July 18, 2022,⁴ and reply comments on or before August 1, 2022. Commenters should follow the filing instructions provided in the *NPRM*.⁵

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¹ See Amendment of Parts 73 and 74 of the Commission's Rules to Establish Rules for Digital Low Power Television and Television Translator Stations, Fifth Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, FCC 22-40 (rel. June 7, 2022) (NPRM).

² *Id*. at 1.

³ 87 FR 36440 (6/17/22).

⁴ Because the 30th day after the date the summary was published in the Federal Register is Sunday, July 17, 2022, the deadline for filing comments is the next business day, Monday, July 18, 2022. *See* 47 CFR § 1.4.

⁵ See NPRM at para. 60.